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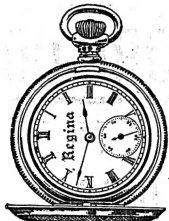
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CONTRIBUTION TO IMPERIAL ARMS.

In answer to a telegram from the Winnipeg Telegram last Friday, asking the opinion of the Board of Trade on the question of aiding, by contribution, in the building up of the Imperial Navy, a meeting of the Executive of the Board was held, and after considerable discussion, the following resolution was passed:

While deprecating any action calculated to give encouragement to the growth of militarism in this country, we believe that the time has arrived when the integral parts of the Empire should be consolidated into one imperial whole. Canada should, in common with all other parts of the Empire, move in the direction of such

consolidation, and assume her share of the financial obligations arising therefrom; that there should be an Imperial Council, representing all parts of the Empire, to deal with imperial questions. Carried.

In the Dominion Parliament on Monday a resolution, introduced by Sir Wilfrid Laurier, passed the House by a unanimous vote, favoring the speedy organization of a navy to work in co-operation with the Imperial Service on the line suggested at the imperial conference. Under present conditions, regular contributions to Imperial Arms would not satisfactorily solve the question.

United Farmers Meet.

Pork Packing Plant Discussed.

President James Bower presided at the special meeting held Thursday afternoon last, to discuss the pork packing plant. There was a large attendance of farmers, among those present were: Messrs. McBlain, E. Code, G. W. Smith, T. Towers, Capt. Keast, Vincent, Leathhead, Heck Gaetz, Jamieson, Jas. Gunnison, E. Plumb, Ross, Jenkins, E. R. Hill, Willson, Cronqvist, Cole, Higgs, Jargenson, Speirs, Ward, Hargrove, McCann, McNichol, Richards, Bodwell, Carswell and others.

President Bower spoke at some length, explaining the working of the packing question up to the present time, and gave his idea of what should be done.

H. Jamieson spoke of the details which will have to be worked out. He did not believe in too much guarantee from farmers, but all farmers should guarantee to send all hogs they could raise to the packing plant. He thought we should at once proceed to work out the details.

The petition is as follows: I hereby agree to supply to a Government Pork Packing Plant, operated and controlled on the terms and conditions as outlined in the report of the Pork Commission, all the hogs I may have to sell for commercial purposes, and I estimate the number set opposite my name as being the probable number I will be able to supply during each year.

I also take this opportunity of petitioning the Government to undertake without delay the building of the plant, and I promise to give it my further support by increasing the number of hogs, raised to the full number my surrounding conditions will permit. Name, location, estimate number of hogs.

Mayor Botterill spoke briefly, stating that a member of the executive of the Board of Trade he would do all in his power to further the interests of the plant, and stated he would bring the question up at next meeting of the Board.

Messrs. H. H. Gaetz, Brumpton, Munro and Welliver also addressed the meeting.

Capt. Keast spoke at some length, giving a description of a plant at Halifax and also the great desirability of having a plant of this kind on running water. He thought it would require ten acres of land.

Messrs. G. W. Smith, E. Plumb, Heck Gaetz, J. Speirs, J. Ross and McBlain were appointed committees to canvass for names in their respective neighborhoods.

Capt. Keast moved, seconded by Heck Gaetz, that the Board of Trade be asked to work in conjunction with this association in securing all the names possible to the petitioners guaranteeing hogs to the packing plant. The motion carried.

The meeting then adjourned to the 3rd of April, at two o'clock.

Novel Spring Opening.

Owing to a new law coming into force April 1st, Grieve & Co. have a large stock of patent medicines and other goods they wish to dispose of to save handling. They are giving tremendous bargains in many lines, the price in some instances being cut in half. The great spring opening will commence Monday, April 5th and last for one week. See catalogue of bargains.

Dairymen's Association.

A meeting of the Directors of the Dairymen's Association of Alberta was held in Red Deer on Wednesday March 24th, to decide on a suitable brand for the butter boxes to be used by the creameries of the Association. Such brand to be used only by creameries belonging to the Association and no private brand to be used in connection therewith. The object of the Association in choosing a brand is to have a uniform brand on a uniform box throughout the creameries of the Association, thus giving the product a better appearance.

The meeting was well attended among those present were: Pres. T. B. Millar, Burnt Lake; 1st Vice Pres. R. M. McCue, Bowden; 2nd Vice Pres. A. H. Trimble, Red Deer; H. W. Trimble, Red Deer; Wm. H. Davies, Didsbury; D. G. Campbell, (sales agent of Association) Calgary; Fred H. Hunter, Sec'y, Treas., Didsbury; and others. It will be some time before the Association will know what their brand will be as it has to be registered.

Penhold.

Sunday School anniversary service will be held in the Hill Church on Sunday April 4th at 2.30 p. m. Addresses by Rev. Arthur Barner, of the Indian School, Red Deer, and Mr. J. Speakman. Special singing and recitations will be given by the scholars. Come and take part in a bright service, hearty welcome for all.

Hillsdown U. F. A.

A very successful meeting was held at Valley Centre School House on Saturday March 27th, with Pres. R. E. Fiske in the chair.

In response to the President's call for new members three more members were enrolled.

Among the interesting topics of the evening were, the Pork Packing question, which all were in favor of and a reading by Mr. R. E. Fiske from the Farm, Stock & Home re. Stock foods, showing what a perfect fraud they are.

Next meeting will be held on Sat. April 24th at 8 p. m. sharp in Mr. O'Connor's house.

J. F. E. PARTINGTON,
Sec.-Treas.

Poplar Ridge.

Mr. Levy Atkins has rented his farm to Toddy Walker, and left last Tuesday for Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Martin left last Friday for Cresco, B. C. where they will make their home in future. We all wish them great success in their new enterprise.

Mr. Withall has rented Ed. Martin's farm and will move there this week.

Mrs. Thomas Brownrigg returned to Kingsgate, B.C., last Friday, after spending two months visiting her son Fred.

Mrs. H. Mitchell is spending the week with her mother Mrs. Atkins.

Hill End.

The Ladies held a meeting at the residence of Miss M. Thompson on Wednesday March 24th. We hope it was not an indignation meeting over the recent election.

Mr. Robt. Niblock is erecting a new frame dwelling. Well done for Bob.

Gordon W. Healy has just purchased from Jno. A. Turner of Calgary a large three year old stallion of good quality.

There will be a public meeting on April 3rd, of the ratepayers of the district for the purpose of discussing the building of a new school and site for same. Also a proposed division of the district.

A number of the Hill End farmers have joined the Farmers' Union of Edwell. We hope there will still be a greater number join hands and make the Union a success.

We congratulate Mr. E. Michener on his recent election. He is a right jolly good fellow. Of course we only stand for the Conservative part of our Domain. Hello Central! Give me Innisfail. Is that you Jno. A.? Now that you are elected when is that railroad going to start?

At the election poll held at the Edwell School the following officers were filled by Wm. Marshall, Returning officer; Clerk, E. Snider; Scrutineers, E. G. Hill and Frank Caldwell, Conservative and E. Songhurst, Liberal.

Willowdale.

On Tuesday evening 23rd. inst. a large social gathering took place at the Manse in which almost the whole community of Willowdale and Edwell was represented. The enjoyment of the evening was only marred by the thought that Rev. Mr. Millar and Mrs. Millar who during the year they have spent at Willowdale, have won the esteem of young and old, are soon to leave here for another field of labor. An address was recorded by Mr. Bruce Smith expressing high regard for them both, and regret at their leaving, and on behalf of many friends, Mrs. Walter Sanderson presented them with a purse containing over fifty dollars as a small token of good will and best wishes.

Curling Notes.

During the past week early winter excitement has been created over the Brumpton Cup competition. Every rink had to play against the others and T. A. Gaetz and Stephenson's rink had each three losses to their credit. Any rink with more than three losses dropped out. Those left in the running were Brumpton, Clarke, Humber, Drake and Carswell, with Humber and Carswell only two losses. Carswell puts Clarke, Brumpton and Drake out of the competition and Welliver and Hanna put Carswell out. Stephenson defeated Humber Monday evening and the final between Stephenson and Gaetz was very close. At the eleventh end they were tied but Gaetz's rink won on by two points. Gaetz rink was skipped by Hugh Clarke, Porter lead, Botterill second and Wallace third. Stephenson's rink was composed of Hill lead, Carswell, Plaxton and Stephenson, skip.

W. E. Payne has donated a cup and as it is a knock out game it will soon be finished. Stephenson defeated Hanna and Payne has put Brumpton out of the running.

FREDERICK CLARKE IN A GREAT SCENIC PRODUCTION "MONTE CRISTO."

A notable event of the season will be the appearance here of that eminent actor Mr. Frederick Clarke and company in Dumas' masterpiece, "Monte Cristo," to night which is perhaps the greatest romantic drama ever written. Mr. Clarke has the phenomenal record of playing six hundred and twelve nights at the Seattle & 3rd. A. Theatres in Seattle, Wash. at the head of his own Company, playing the leading role in every production. He is surely must be a man with a strong personality and magnetism. Mr. Clarke has surrounded himself with a powerful cast of players. The tour is under the direction of Willis & Cosgrove, who are the owners of the production, and a rare dramatic treat is promised the theatre goers of this town to-night.

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WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31st, 1909.

A REVIEW OF THE CAMPAIGN.

That Edward Michener came out of the recent campaign with a clean record is admitted by all. He was always careful to confine himself to facts, and he most successfully met all the misstatements made against him by his opponents and brought discredit on their heads. Some of those statements were ordinary political clap net, some were erroneous and opposed to facts, and some were malicious and untruthful in the extreme. One of the malicious and untruthful statements was contained in a bill printed by the Lacombe Globe, the Liberal paper of that town, and gives Mr. Michener an opportunity of using that paper for libel if he wishes. The bill which was largely circulated through the east and west country read as follows: "Conservatives beware, Michener has secretly pledged himself to the Liberal government, he will turn you down. Don't be tricked. We'd better vote for Moore the straight people's candidate." Mr. Michener positively denied pledging himself to the Liberal Government and branded the statement false and without foundation. Another bill circulated stated Mr. Michener publicly congratulated Moore on his public services at a meeting a month before the elections. This Mr. Michener denied also he refrained from assisting in drafting the resolution referred to for reasons of his own. Another ridiculous sheet was published being telephone interview with Premier Rutherford and signed by J. Carlyle Moore. In this interview Mr. Moore put words in Mr. Michener's mouth he never uttered and got up a set of questions to suit himself. In all common decency could the Premier say less than he did to a man who had supported his government? "Did you encourage Mr. Moore to run?" was the question asked the Premier. He replied: "I told him he had better run if he got the nomination." The Premier couldn't say less. If a man gets the nomination nowadays he generally runs. He felt safe in that he didn't think Mr. Moore could get a nomination again. The whole interview of six questions was based on statements which Mr. Michener was supposed to have uttered but which he in reality never made. There were also statements made by J. C. Moore and others in the country with the idea of putting the country

against the town. Mr. Michener has the welfare of Red Deer district at heart quite as much as Mr. Moore ever could have and we are pleased to know such tactics could not work. Mr. Michener's manner of treating his opponent Saturday night won him votes. Mr. Moore's tactics has always been to unmercifully punish his opponent with a bitter tongue lashing if he had the last word and no reply could be made before elections. In making his speech he expected to receive what he had been in the habit of giving, as Mr. Michener had the last word. He consequently perspired at every pore and after a forty minute speech in which he hardly made a point he was afraid to face what was coming to him and asked permission to withdraw from the meeting. Mr. Michener hardly mentioned Moore in his hour address and certainly took no notice of the vile language used against him by Mr. Moore at Evans when he (Moore) compared him to a dirty rag not fit to sit on a platform with the Premier of this province. But the people have spoken and with no uncertain sound and Red Deer now has a representative who will look after our interests and who we feel assured will leave no stone unturned to work in our interests not only in the town but to the uttermost parts of the district.

UNKINDLY CUT.

The Advocate said in its last issue: "If the Liberal executive and the Liberal party strive to continue in Red Deer merely as dispensers of Government patronage; if the official local leaders and the present working wing of the party are to get out with an axe after all those who have resented what they considered autocratic and machine methods, and have kicked over the traces during the last six months; if harmony and unity are to be striven for by exclusion or submissiveness and not by co-operation and mutual tolerance, then we nominal Liberals of Red Deer, deserve to remain as we are now, a desecrated throughout the province, a nuisance to Ministers and Governments, and a laughing stock to the Opposition." Hear! hear! "we nominal Red Deer Liberals" is good. Then again the men who have fought the fight of the party are "a byword throughout the province, a nuisance to Ministers and Governments and a laughing stock to the Opposition." Glory hal-

liah! The few men who have fought the fight, Harry Clarke, Ed. Hogg, J. C. Moore, A. Cuthbert, good old Israel McDougall and many others who have stood by their guns like bricks amongst the falling debris of the once great powerful Liberal party in Red Deer are dubbed "byword," "a nuisance," "laughing stock." If all the "ifs" in the Advocate article were horses, beggars might ride. While the Advocate defends the Chief, who has led his forces to disaster, it condemns the sturdy warriors who have stood the brunt of the fight. Our jotem has a funny way of promoting harmony in the ranks of its party.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

I did it with my ballot says the independent elector, and the result has given general satisfaction.

The Advocate cannot take its defeat quietly, but must needs give Mr. Michener and his friends advice as to what they ought to do to get Liberal favor. Considering the Advocate did all it could to defeat Mr. Michener the advice comes in poor taste just now.

NO MORE TRUCKLING.

(Edmonton Journal.)

The preponderant majority by which the Rutherford government has been returned to power places upon it a special responsibility. It should prove itself worthy of the confidence that has been reposed in it. It should show itself determined to be the government of all Alberta. It has evidently received support from many who are usually of Conservative tendencies, and it should reciprocate by displaying similar toleration. It has a special duty to throw off sectionalism and extreme partisanship, and to give fair and equitable consideration to the desires and requirements of all classes, unbiased by partisan considerations. It has laid upon it in an unusual degree the responsibility of championing the cause of the province, and its task can only be performed by freeing itself from the trammels of a narrow partyism. In acquiescing in the Laurier Government's policy of robbing the province of its heritage of natural wealth, and again, last session, in meekly accepting the government's rebuff when it abruptly refused to aid the province in procuring railways, the Rutherford administration has shown a tendency to make of itself a wheel of the Ottawa coach, and to sacrifice the interests of the province to the political exigencies of the Laurier cabinet. If it aspires to retain the confidence of the province this weak and unjustifiable partisanship must be eradicated. The interests of the province and the interests of the Rutherford government itself demand the reform. The people have excused its lapses in the past; they will not always show such similar tolerance. The government is now sufficiently strong to perform its duty to the province without fear of the consequences to itself of running counter to the commands of the Ottawa dictators. It can afford to do its duty, and to make the interests of the province its supreme inspiration. And knowing this, the people will no longer tolerate subservience to the wishes of Ottawa when this truckling involves sacrifice of Alberta's cause.

Valley Centre.

A grand Ratification Banquet will be held at the Valley Centre school house on Monday, April 5th, at 7:30 p.m. Mr. Edward Michener M. P. will address the meeting. Messrs. L. M. Gaetz, Hadley and others will be present, and render some fine selections. Ladies are requested to bring light refreshments. Everybody cordially invited to come and spend a social evening.

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Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

SEASON'S BEST PRODUCT.

The lovely sweet girl graduate Again steps to the front To show the world how much she knows And do her little stunt. To cheer us with her winning smile And modestly to show In her most graceful style how much The rest of us don't know.

With garments right in style that set Four caps back a lot She waits out upon the stage, The center of the plauds. The poor boy graduates sits back Completely in the shade. Content if he's allowed to be The rear of the parade.

She opens her impressive roll And in an accent strong Proceeds at once to show the world Just where the things are wrong And how it may get right again And have things sweet and nice If it will be worth while to heed And follow her advice.

Around her at the programme's end Admiring schoolmates crowd. Her parents grasp her by the hand, And every one is proud. And in her memory long will last In days that are afar When she has children of her own The time she was a star.

Playing Safe.

"He dictates all of his love letters to a lady stenographer, the same one who attends to his business correspondence." "I shouldn't think he would feel free to say as he wanted to." "That is just his idea. He knows then that he will never have to blush for the letters if they should be read in court."

No Place to Stand.

"He must have something on his mind." "I don't think so." "Don't you?" "No; it would fall through."

Not Contrary.

"How are you going to vote?" "Don't know." "Can't you decide which party you prefer?" "That isn't bothering me. You find out how my wife's folks are going to vote and put me down the other way."

Didn't Like His Looks.

"That young man looks green." "I shouldn't mind that if he were the proper shade."

What shade?

"Irish."

Sleepy Time.

Heavy grows the little head, Sleepiness the spirit numbs. Evils like little plumes of lead When the sandman comes. Not a word has he to say, Just a shink of golden sand. Curses the little feet to stray. Quiet grows the little hand. In his shining bag of sand Dreaming fairies and he brings. Princes, kings and castles fling. Roundabout he reckles flings. Sleep down presses tired eyes; Soft the wing of angel hums. Off they go to paradise When the sandman comes.

Natural Inquiry.

"He is strictly truthful." "Is he?" "Yes; he never lies." "Indeed! How does he make his living?"

Her Specialty.

"Have you a good cook?" "Oh, very good indeed." "What is her specialty?" "Getting along with the family."

Needed It.

"Say, miss, have you got a looking glass?" "License? What license?" "Fredder's." "So. Why?" "You seem to be handing out lemons pretty freely."

PERT PARAGRAPHS.

The man who never forgets is the same man who never makes mistakes. Being popular has its drawbacks as well as its come-ons.

A lack of sense has much to do with our mistakes and a lack of knowledge of the same the rest.

Some men are so badly stuck on themselves that they are never able to tear themselves loose to get anywhere.

Many a girl who knows how to look out for herself is willing to let the right kind of man look out for her.

No man is indispensable to the world, but as far as he knows the world is indispensable to him.

When love changes to indifference it is time to balance accounts.

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Mails are due to arrive as follows:
From South, 12.00 noon, and 6.35 p.m., daily, except Sunday.
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From Hillsdown—11 a.m. Tuesdays and Fridays.
From Everts, Bokville, Burnt Lake, Sylvan Lake, Leslieville and Solheima, at 11.30 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

Mails for despatch are closed as follows:

Going North—11.30 a.m., and 6.00 p.m., daily, except Sunday.
Going South—11.20 a.m., and 7.00 p.m., daily, except Sunday.
Registered Mail closes at 11 a.m. and 5.30 p.m.
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We solicit the business of inventors, and will make the advertiser's patent and other business interests. We have a large staff of experts. Preliminary advice free. Charges reasonable. We have secured many patents for our clients. Address: Mr. J. H. Galt, 100 Victoria B.C. Mr. Galt advised partitions in the tank. This he did not agree with and finished expert testimony. However he stated he would obtain further evidence on the question.

Fighting Tuberculosis.

Modern Woodmen Society will Construct Free Sanatorium for its Members, as well as a Fraternal Proposition.

At the last meeting of the Executive Council of the Modern Woodmen Society, held at the headquarters of the Society in Rock Island, Ill., it was decided to conduct that Society's sanatorium, located at Colorado Springs, Colo., for the treatment of members afflicted with tuberculosis, free of all charge to members.

The Modern Woodmen Society several months since, acquired 1,380 acres of land within seven miles of Colorado Springs, and has established thereon an up-to-date sanatorium, the tent colony plan being employed. The first colony was opened for the reception of patients on Jan. 1, 1909. It is equipped to receive 90 patients, to which number admissions will be limited for the present.

The tents are octagonal structures, with single rooms, canvas sides, hard wood floors on solid cement foundations, heated by a central plant, equipped with all modern conveniences, such as telephones, etc., and each tent will accommodate about 100 patients, to which number admissions will be limited for the present.

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Dr. J. E. White, formerly of the Nordrach ranch sanatorium, the Medical director in charge, states that only those consumptive members who are curable, or whose lives may be prolonged for a considerable length of time, will be admitted as patients. The wisdom of this rule is apparent. Rigid medical examination is a condition precedent to admission to be insisted upon in every case, and special blank forms have been prepared for this purpose.

A movement is already under way to erect the second colony plant of 60 tents. Each tent or tent house, completely equipped, represents an expense of \$250, and a number of local or lodges of the Society have decided to donate tents. There are over 13,000 local Camps of Modern Woodmen, and over 1,000,000 members, it is anticipated that several colonies will soon be equipped.

The members and local Camps of the Society have voluntarily contributed to the Sanatorium fund over \$70,000 and at the last national convention a permanent tax of ten cents per member per year was voted to the support of this work.

The last official Woodmen reports show that during the years 1891-1907, inclusive, 14 per cent of the total mortality, or 5,156 deaths, were charged to tuberculosis, and that 13.9 per cent of the total insurance losses in those years, or \$9,085,000, resulted from this cause. As the mortality experience of the Woodmen Society has been unusually favorably, being but 70 per cent of the expected at all ages under the national Fraternal congress table, a death rate of but 6.28 per 1000, or but 4.98 per 1,000, if the experience of the first five membership years be included, the heavier insurance losses inflicted upon other societies experiencing a higher mortality may be conservatively approximated.

If the Woodmen Society, with its exceptionally low mortality rate, finds it to be "Good business" to fight consumption in this way, why should not other fraternal societies, life insurance companies, labor organizations, the national and international church bodies, etc., find it profitable, from the viewpoint of business or benevolence, or both, to take such action?

Each life saved to the Woodmen Society, by means of this sanatorium, will, it is stated, represent a saving of \$1,700, the average amount of the Woodmen policies in force, at an expense for treatment of approximately one twentieth of that sum. In the broader sense, each life saved means the preservation to the family of its head and bread winner, and to the state of a useful, self-sustaining citizen.

Road to Bay Yet Far Off.

No Bill Concerning the Hudson's Bay Railway will be Introduced This Session—Waiting for Finances to Improve.

Ottawa, March 19.—The Liberal campaign cry of the last election, "Immediate construction of the Hudson's Bay railway," is fast falling into the distance. It is farther than ever from being a reality.

Hon. G. P. Graham, admitted to night in answer to questions by R. S. Lake of Qu'Appelle, said there will be no bill this session. Last parliament the premier announced that the work would be started at once. The bill was

forecasted and \$100,000 for surveys was placed in the estimates. It formed the main theme during the campaign for government orators all through the west.

The best Mr. Graham would promise was that the government hoped to go ahead as soon as the condition of the finances permitted. In reply to a query as to whether the government intended to construct the road or place it in the hands of a private corporation, Mr. Lake was informed that Sir Wilfrid Laurier had indicated that the railway would be a government undertaking.

A vote of \$85,000 has been placed in the estimates again for surveys and this is all that is to be expended this year. A survey, Mr. Graham said, has been made of a route to Fort Churchill. It was now said that a route to Fort Nelson would pass through as good a country and be 60 miles shorter than the Churchill line. It was proposed to get further information as to the two ports.

Town Council.

The regular meeting of the Town Council was held on Thursday evening, Mayor W. J. Bottrell in the chair and Councillors Pidgeon, Hill, Tallman, McKee and H. H. Gaetz in attendance.

From Wood, Gundy & Co. re. debenture bonds.

From secretary Dominion securities company asking for copy of financial statement.

From John Stewart irrigation department enclosing license for water from the Red Deer river for town purposes.

From J. L. Crawford, solicitor, claim \$45 damages for Brazier as his team ran away and smashed his milk van owing, it is claimed, to a hole in the road.

Dr. George was granted exemption on contents of museum on motion of H. H. Gaetz.

From O. Higman, manager and engineer of Government telephone system giving the following list of the towns in Alberta having 100 to 300 phones, and rates charged in each as requested: Macleod, High River, Beaver Creek, Strathcona, Wetaskiwin, residential rates \$23 and business rates \$23. The charge for a desk phone is \$2 in excess of charge of a wall phone.

Town engineer, H. G. Neville, wrote stating he had discussed the septic tank question with Mr. Galt in Victoria B.C. Mr. Galt advised partitions in the tank. This he did not agree with and finished expert testimony. However he stated he would obtain further evidence on the question.

COMMISSIONERS REPORT

1. We ordered 30 copies of the Special Edition of the Advocate for sending to bond dealers to show them the progress the Town is making.

2. A woman came into Red Deer from west of Wetaskiwin a few weeks ago with a sick child and in destitute circumstances. She got a room and we let the cook stove owned by the town for a short time.

3. We have received from A. F. Botsford agent the accident policy in the London Guarantee and Accident Co. covering the firemen for \$2000 each while on duty.

3. We took up the matter of cement sidewalks with the Engineer and he informs us that the approximate cost of an 11 foot walk with gutter will be \$2.75 per running foot. On a twenty year debenture at 5 per cent the annual tax will be 20 ct. on the frontage. We will ascertain if the required proportion of rate payers along the main streets will favor this work being done this year and if so we will have the necessary estimates and by-laws prepared.

In accordance with your instructions we requested the Town solicitors prepare a by-law regulating the weight and sale of bread, and we submit it herewith.

6. Several water connections were frozen up recently and after considerable trouble were thawed out. As they were frozen on the street the town will have to bear the expense. We have had foreman Moffitt thaw out the catch basins and keep the ditches open so that in winter the water could drain off readily.

7. We have written the Sec'y of the School Board asking them to submit their estimates for the current year if possible before April 1st.

8. Having heard on the night of 19th inst. that several dogs were sick we decided to have the matter investigated at once. We tried to get the Secretary of the Provincial Board of Health over the phone that night and again next morning, but not being able to get him we tried to get the Government Veterinary inspector for Lacombe. He was out at Stettler so we phoned Dr. Harrington to come down at noon.

He came with Dr. Niblett who had come in from Stettler and we examined all the sick dogs we could find. During the day we were informed that a dog apparently mad had been killed at Innisfail the previous week and

the head sent to Edmonton for analysis. We phoned Dr. Revell Provincial Bacteriologist as to result of the analysis and on his reporting that the dog had hydrophobia we had bills struck ordering all dogs to be strictly confined. On Sunday Dr. Niblett again came to town accompanied by Dr. McNeill of Calgary and they ordered all stray dogs to be destroyed at once also any dog showing signs of sickness. We put on a special constable to assist Dr. McNeill to do this and a number have been shot and their bodies burnt. We trust these measures will check the spread of the disease.

9. On 23rd inst. we received a letter from J. L. Crawford Solicitor for J. C. Brazier claiming \$45.00 for damages to his rig caused by an upset at the corner of Alexander and Holt Sts. With the Engineer we inspected the street at that corner and recommended that the town decline to pay Mr. Brazier any damages in this matter as we do not believe the Town is responsible.

10. In response to our ad, for a teamster to take Mr. North's position we received applications from the following: A. Taylor, Perry Scott, W. J. Tammany, R. L. Baker, Wm. Kretz, O. Snider, E. R. Hill of Red Deer; Thos. Armstrong, Burnt Lake; W. J. Douglas, Everts; Russell McPaul, Eklerville; C. Y. Scott, Penhold.

11. We recommend that we be authorized to have another bedroom fitted up at the head of the stairs at the fire hall for the accommodation of more firemen when they will room there. In this way we will have a staff of men at the firehall large enough to get out all the apparatus quickly in case of fire at night.

12. We are taking up the plumbing by-law and hope to have a satisfactory draft ready for the next meeting. We will also have our report on the town office question.

13. The Engineer is putting men on to-morrow to fill the trench and level up on Gaetz Ave. where the watermain was laid last fall.

On motion, A. Taylor was appointed teamster, and the report adopted.

ACCOUNTS.

The following accounts were presented and ordered to be paid: H. G. Neville \$11.70; Town of Red Deer, \$21; J. Kennedy, \$10.64; W. Hewlett \$15.75; Red Deer Laundry, \$1.15; C. Legge, \$4.50; W. Huskins, \$5; J. B. Harrington, \$12; A. F. Botsford, \$102.

BREAD BY-LAW.

The by-law regulating the weight of bread was read a first and second time and laid over to next meeting for a third reading.

AUDITOR APPOINTED.

On motion of Councillor McKee A. W. G. Allen was appointed Town auditor for 1909, at a salary of \$240.

What the Canadian Northern has already received.

Representatives of the Canadian Northern are engaged in an active canvass with a view of securing further assistance from the Provincial treasury for the enterprise with which they are connected.

The Canadian Northern has already been dealt with in a most liberal manner by the Dominion and provincial Governments and municipalities.

It has, either directly or through lines not a part of its system, received over \$5,000,000 in cash subsidies from the Dominion Government, upwards of \$1,200,000 from the Ontario Government, \$190,000 from various

municipalities. That makes a total in cash subsidies of just about the even seven and three quarters million dollars.

The railway statistics issued by the Dominion Government do not show how much the company has received in land grants from the various Provinces, but they do show grants aggregating over 4,100,000 acres from the Dominion Government. Valuing this land at \$4 an acre would make the aid in this form worth nearly sixteen and a half million dollars.

The Dominion railway statistics already quoted from credit the company with 3,542 miles of line in operation. Putting the cash and land subsidies at the even \$24,000,000 would therefore make the direct aid granted work out at almost \$7,000 per mile.

But this is not all. The bonds issued by the company have been guaranteed by the Dominion Government to the extent of \$9,385,000, by the Manitoba Government to the amount of \$18,000,000, and by the Province of Ontario for \$7,800,000. Thus the grand aggregate of the guarantees works out at \$35,225,000, or at over \$10,000 per mile. In other words, exclusive of any Provincial land grants, of which no record is given in the Dominion railway statistics, the Canadian Northern has been financed by the Canadian people, in the form of cash, land, and guarantees to the extent of \$17,000 per mile. That is about equal to half the cost of constructing a line such as the Canadian Northern has built.

Surely in the light of these facts, the application for further aid must fail.—Farmers Sun.

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A capable housekeeper. Apply Mrs. H. H. Gaetz, Red Deer.

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Estimates given. Work promptly attended to.

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Shop in rear of F. H. Tallman's.

NEW LUMBER YARD.

JAMIESON & McKECHNIE

have opened up a yard for the sale of Lumber on Gaetz Ave., North, where a large stock of well-seasoned Lumber of all dimensions is kept continually on hand.

Farmers wanting a square deal are asked to give us a call.

Builders' Trade Solicited.

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Headquarters for the Choicest Meats.

As we are making weekly shipments of both cattle and hogs, we are able to select the best stock for our shop.

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HIGHEST MARKET PRICE PAID FOR HIDES.

PHONE 37.

RED DEER TOWN LOTS FOR SALE.

OBLESER, HAMMOND & NANTON, Agents, WINNIPEG, Man.

C. S. LÖFF, Agent, CALGARY, Alta.

For plans, etc., apply to H. H. GAETZ, RED DEER.

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Rig Meets All Trains.

Trunks brought and taken from depot.

ICE-Pure, Clean delivered daily in quantities to suit buyer.

J. WOOD, PROP.

PHONE 67.

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CALL AND GET PRICES.

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LOCAL AGENTS.

RED DEER. ALBERTA.

Ontario Sale and Feed Stable, Edmonton.

Persons bringing horses to Edmonton should call at the Ontario Sale and Feed Stable, 284, Fraser Avenue, where they will find first class accommodation for their animals, and prices right.

A. T. REINHOLD.

To Rent.

South half of Sec. 2-37-30, also S.W. quarter of Sec. 1-37-24, 4 roomed frame house; 2 good springs near buildings. For terms apply to F. G. Graham, Edwyl.

J. H. GRAHAM, Bohman, Sask.

Sale of Lands For Taxes.

Sale of lands in the Municipality of the Town of Red Deer and the Red Deer Public School District No. 101, in the Municipality of Alberta for arrears of taxes and costs. Notice is hereby given that certain lands in the Municipality of the Town of Red Deer, and the Red Deer Public School District No. 101, will be offered for sale for arrears of taxes and costs, on Saturday the 17th day of April, A. D. 1909, at the Council Chamber, Ross Avenue, in the Town of Red Deer, at the hour of 2 o'clock p.m. A full list of the lands so to be offered for sale may be found in the issues of "The News," a newspaper published in the Town of Red Deer on the following dates, viz: Wednesday, February 17 and 24, March 3 and 10, A. D. 1909. And unless the arrears of taxes and costs are sooner paid the undersigned secretary-treasurer of the Town of Red Deer will proceed to sell the lands referred to for taxes and costs, on the day and at the time and place above mentioned.

A. T. STEPHENSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

SMITH BROS.

Gaetz Valley, Alta.

Dealers in Horses and Cattle.

Just arrived from Ontario two standard bred stallions, one pure bred Clyde stallion, and one pure bred Clyde mare.

We have also about 70 head of a good mixed bunch of horses for sale.

For further information apply to

SMITH BROS.

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JUST ARRIVED:

Several shipments of Spring Goods, including a fine line of

Spring Suits, Rain Coats, Shoes and Hats,

which we are prepared to offer at prices that will be hard to equal.

Before buying your Spring outfit, call in and look them over.

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The Penhold Store.

Dealers in General Merchandise, Groceries, Dry Goods, Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Hats and Caps, Hardware, Crockery, Paints, Oils and Glass.

We have just unloaded a Carload of Barbed Wire and Nails, one of Ogilvies Celebrated Flour and one of Salt.

While we do a credit business, we give 5 per cent cash discount on everything we sell except barbed wire and nails in keg lots, which make our cash prices as low as any, as the following few examples will show:

Ogilvies Royal Household Flour, \$3.60 per sack or \$3.45 cash.
Ogilvies Glenora Flour, 3.35 per sack or 3.20 cash.
Ogilvies Strong Bakers Flour, 3.10 per sack or 2.95 cash.
Best Granulated E. C. Sugar, 1.20 per 20 lbs. or 1.15 cash.
Stock Salt, 3.50 per barrel or 3.35 cash.
Ogilvies & Lyman Barbed Wire, 4.25 per hundred.
Acacia Special, 3.20 per 50 rods.
Wire Nails, 4 to 6 inches, 4.00 per keg.
" 21 inches, 4.10 per keg.
" 11 inches, 4.20 per keg.

We have several good wrought and cast Cooking Ranges, which we will sell at cost to make room. Also a few sets of single buggy harness cheap.

WILSON BROS.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF H. H. BROWN, INSOLVENT. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the above named insolvent R. H. Brown, of the Town of Red Deer, in the Province of Alberta, Druggist and Stationer, has made an assignment of his estate and effects to THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE COMPANY, LIMITED, Official Assignee for the general benefit of his creditors, under the provisions of "The Assignment Act," being Chapter 6 of the Statutes of Alberta 1906.

The creditors are notified to meet at the Office of THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE COMPANY, LIMITED, in the City of Calgary, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon on Thursday the 1st day of April, 1909, for the purpose of receiving a statement of the affairs of the said insolvent, for the appointment of inspectors, and the giving of directions with reference to the disposal of the estate. Every creditor or person claiming to be entitled to rank on the estate assigned is required to deliver or send postpaid to the said Company on or before the 10th day of April, 1909, particulars of his claim, verified by affidavit, and such vouchers as the case admits of, and stating whether he holds any security for his claim or any part thereof and putting a specified value on such security (if any), in accordance with the said Act. And notice is further given that after the said 10th day of April, 1909, the said Company will proceed to distribute the estate of the said insolvent under the said Act, having regard only to the claims of which it shall have notice at such time of distribution.

Dated at Calgary this 10th day of March, 1909.

THE TRUSTS AND GUARANTEE COMPANY, LIMITED, Official Assignee.

A. G. ROSS, Manager, Greene & Payne, Red Deer, Solicitors for the said Company.

SALE

BY

PUBLIC AUCTION

at my corral, Morrison street, within the next 11 days, of Choice Dairy Stock and Horses. Look for date on bills.

I have already booked choice dairy cows, heifers and steers, also horses. Farmers or others having horses or stock they wish to dispose of, will do well to send in their consignments at once, to get them mentioned on bills. Cattle can be sent in the day previous to sale by arranging for feed, watering and attention free.

FRANK MOTT, M.A.A., Auctioneer and Valuer, Red Deer.

The Riddle of the Universe.

Rev. B. Goodfield Delivers an Interesting Lecture.

Tuesday night at the Baptist church Mr. Goodfield delivered a lecture upon the subject of "The Riddle of the Universe." He commenced by reviewing the great philosophic endeavors that have been made to solve the universal mystery, passing briefly from Grecian thought to modern continental speculation. By a rapid movement the lecturer turned the audience to the first chapter of Genesis, and after poetic descriptions of the creation found a surprising climax in the appearance of woman. Mr. Goodfield claimed that in woman we behold the Riddle of the Universe. He then proceeded to discuss the many theories bearing upon woman's advent into the world, humorously describing the Hindu, Rabbinical and other legends dealing therewith.

Next her attributes were portrayed in the following order: Woman is imperious, humorous, generous, dangerous, tenacious, curious, and by some is considered to be garrulous.

Woman's achievements were then very fully treated. In statescraft, such names as Zenobia, Elizabeth, Dowager Empress of China and Victoria were mentioned; such soldiers as Boadicea and Joan of Arc. Science is indebted to Caroline Herschel and Mme. Curie, the discoverer of radium.

Philosophy reveals Hypatia. Literature presents a galaxy of genius from Sappho to Marie Corelli. Mr. Goodfield pointed out that of the fifteen most successful books published in the last two years, eleven were written by women. Great reformers such as Florence Nightingale and Frances E. Willard were named. But the preacher claimed that women seemed greater in her indirect influence as expressed through husband and son.

Notable wives and the world's great mothers were called in review and the speaker scored the general and deplorable lack of appreciation on the part of husbands, sons and daughters of our patient and heroic mothers and wives. In conclusion the lecturer described woman's phenomenal advancement, attributing her emancipation to Christian thought. It was remarked that women enjoy full political privileges in Norway, Sweden, New Zealand, Australia, Wyoming, Colorado, Idaho and Utah, and Mr. Goodfield announced himself a recent convert on this interesting issue. "Give the vote to our women and at once we will honor mankind, purify public life, banish the bar, close the distillery, protect the home, and stimulate national progress," argued the speaker. Woman's greatest opportunity and divinest privileges were shown to be homelife and motherhood.

"Perhaps we do not understand, and possibly we shall never solve, but," said the preacher, "we will never consent to give up woman, the world's riddle of riddles."

The Burial of John T. Moore.

Not a cheer was heard, not a gleeful note. Asheshoped from the ballot we hurried; Not a grin discharged his farewell shout. O'er the polls where our member we buried.

We hustled him gaily at dead of night. The votes with our own fingers counted. By the struggling beams of his own town light. Its dynamo feebly spouting.

No useless frock coat covered his breast. But the sheets of the Advocate smothered him. He lay like a boulder taking his rest. With a broken machine round about him.

Few and short were the words that he said. As we counted these votes to his sorrow. And thought of the pledges that were surely not dead. Not broken again on the morrow.

We knew as he passed from the hall where he led. The place where he missed the port. That the Alberta Central would soon lose its head. With him far away in Toronto.

Lightly we talk of the orator gone. Of the craft and the speech that upheld him. For the charters and railroads were won. By the party that tried to sustain him.

We found our task was only begun. As the number of votes was over-whelming. And we heard the victorious sound of a gun. That The News was rapidly firing.

Thorough and quick we fired him out. From the field where he always was absent. The electors wish their interests upheld. By a member who always is present.

P. D. Q.

The Riddle of the Universe.

(Winnipeg Telegram.)

Manitoba, through its accredited representatives, has demanded equality with the other provinces. Is there a public opinion in Manitoba that will come boldly out and say that Manitoba does not deserve and should not receive equality with the other provinces?

The question of the basis upon which equality should be established was left to the determination of Sir Wilfrid Laurier. The Manitoba ministers offered to accept the territory allotted to this province on the same terms that are enjoyed by Ontario and Quebec. If this proposition, which carried with it ownership by Manitoba of its public lands, was not agreeable to the Dominion government, the latter was given the alternative of conceding Manitoba the financial terms which are enjoyed by Saskatchewan and Alberta. Substantial considerations were offered to induce Sir Wilfrid Laurier to accept one of these alternatives. The Manitoba delegates offered to waive their objections to what they justly regarded as an unfair division of territory; they offered even to surrender all claim to the five million acres of swamp lands which are still due the province, but this conciliatory attitude did not appear to modify the premier's obstinate determination to treat Manitoba as he would not treat any other province in Canada.

As always his own attainments. "Yes." "And also as always your failings." "No Judge of Jewelry." "That is a fine ring you have." "Yes; it is 18 carats." "Just." "Don't you believe it?" "Looks to me more like half a dozen turkeys." "Billy of Him." "What would you do if you were given a million dollars?" "Me?" "Yes." "Drop dead."

Impossible. "I wish you'd keep your place." "I can't." "Why can't you?" "It's mortgaged and about to be foreclosed."

Always the Best. "What is the old fellow laughing at?" "A fine joke."

"One has just heard?" "No; one has just told."

Small Amount. "What is the difference between gout and rheumatism?" "An income of a hundred thousand."

A Cinch. "How do you know he is a brave man?" "He said so himself."

Quick, Quick. "I am looking for an ear doctor." "Well, I am a near doctor. What can I do for you?"

PERT PARAGRAPHS. Sometimes you find a man who has title to say, but wants to keep it in operation all the time.

Some men hate their fellow creatures longer after they have forgotten why.

Don't waste your energies expecting something you don't want.

Not satisfied with having things go his way you occasionally find a man who wants to clinch them and make them stay his way.

Keeping out of the limelight is found to be very irritating to some temperaments.

Give your friends a chance to harmlessly gossip about you occasionally if you want them to think a lot of you.

Many men buy a lot of experience that they are unable to sell.

Having an aim in life is of no much account if you have a dearth of ammunition.

Things that are hard on a man's reputation quite often have no effect whatever upon his conscience.

The man who is an easy mark, strange to say, doesn't make the fact easily.

NOTICE. I, Edward Michener, of the Town of Red Deer, in the Province of Alberta, Real Estate Agent, hereby appoint Stanley N. Carscallen my official agent for the election now about to be held for the election of member to represent the Red Deer electoral division in the Legislative Assembly of Alberta.

DATED this 15th day of March, A.D. 1909.

EDWARD MICHENER.

House and Property to Trade. The undersigned has a nice house, two lots and four horse stables he desires to trade for cattle and horses. For further particulars apply to J. P. HEANSKI, Red Deer, March 20th, 1909. 13w

Estrey Cow. Came on to the premises of the undersigned last fall, dark red cow about 4 years old, horns both short, round horns. S.E. See, 9-38-28. B. RAYNE, Red Deer.

Humor and Philosophy

By DUNCAN M. SMITH

SUMMER LONGINGS.

In June we long to get away. Out where the lumbago capers. Far from the city's dust and smoke. The street cars and the papers. To breathe close to nature's breast. And hear her warm heart beating. To chase the come to lie in. And get good country eating.

We want to leave our work behind. Our business and our worry. And get to some secluded spot. And get there in a hurry. To treat the current appetite spreads. In calm and quiet places. And make the picnic ripe of peace. The ship that trouble chase.

We want to get away from courts. From business and our worry. From balliffs, jurors and their kind. And sit from bill collectors. To wait for the rural joys. And those who talk the lingo. And make a savage for a spic. An Indian, by Jingo!

That's what we want, but do we get. The things for which we hanker. Or are we tied down to our task. Take small boats to an anchor? We think about the rural joys. Until our heads get dizzy. And then we turn back to our work. And at our desks get busy.

Better Chance. (Viz)

"Don't you think I ought to go on the stage with my voice?"

"For money or for art's sake?"

"For money, of course. What do you take me for?"

"They say he is a very frank person."

"He is, indeed—upon some subjects."

"As for instance?"

"As always his own attainments."

"Yes."

"And also as always your failings."

No Judge of Jewelry. "That is a fine ring you have."

"Yes; it is 18 carats."

"Just."

"Don't you believe it?"

"Looks to me more like half a dozen turkeys."

Billy of Him. "What would you do if you were given a million dollars?"

"Me?"

"Yes."

"Drop dead."

Impossible. "I wish you'd keep your place."

"I can't."

"Why can't you?"

"It's mortgaged and about to be foreclosed."

Always the Best. "What is the old fellow laughing at?"

"A fine joke."

"One has just heard?"

"No; one has just told."

NOTICE!

We have just received a carload of

McLaughlin Buggies and Democrats.

If you want an up-to-date stylish buggy, you cannot get any other quite so good.

If you want a democrat, ours will compare with the most up-to-date, and will outlast any on the market.

The McLaughlin Carriage has a wide reputation for finish and durability.

Call at the Massey-Harris warerooms and make your selection.

PARKE & WILLSON.

SNAPS!!

Now is the hour of opportunity, "the psychological moment," to buy Red Deer Real Estate.

In view of future Railroad and other developments, the man who picks up local property at the prices that we are prepared to quote for a limited time, is wise. How is this for a sample?

Frame House, one and a half storey, and two Lots, corner of Nanton Avenue and Morrison Street, (opposite the School), a fine site, and very central. Only \$800. Full cash; balance easy terms.

We also have some good buys in Gaetz Ave. business properties.

Michener Carscallen & Co.

REAL ESTATE BROKERS.

I am Still in Business at the Old Stand, and Right to the Front with the Goods.

See these Prices and keep them in mind:

Real Seville Oranges, for Marmalade, 45 cts. per doz.
Choice Oranges and Lemons 35 " " "
Bananas, fresh weekly 50 " " "
Choice Dates, (in bulk) 2 lbs. for 25c.
Vegetables, Fresh Lettuce, Onions and Radishes, Daily.

All Kinds of Garden Seeds.

I Have the Largest Stock of Chocolates and Candies in town.

Agent for Westgate's Home Made Bread.

Pipes Tobacco Cigars

GET ONE OF THE LATEST SINGER SEWING MACHINES FOR \$40 CASH.

W. HUSKINS,

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FOR DRESSMAKERS TO USE

THAT'S WHY DEALERS KEEP THEM

FRESH FISH

A full stock of Fresh, Salted and smoked Fish for Lent.

H. H. DRAKE,
FAMILY BUTCHER.

CAETZ AVE.

RED DEER.

LOCAL & GENERAL.

The regular meeting of the U. F. A. next Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Jamieson returned from her visit to Ontario on Monday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Halstead have moved back to town for the summer.

E. Bryan passed through a successful operation for appendicitis at the Memorial Hospital Saturday last.

A few days will see the snow disappear and spring will be here in dead earnest and the first robin has already appeared.

Cecil Phelps left the hospital last week, just eleven days after undergoing an operation for appendicitis, thoroughly recovered.

The ten cent tea under the auspices of St. Luke's Ladies Guild Friday evening at the residence of Mrs. Edgington was quite a success there being a full house. A good program of music and a jolly time.

The Red Deer Fire Department held their annual ball on Friday evening April 18th, at the Lyric. It is to be hoped there will be a large attendance as no stone is being left unturned to make it a success.

The Alberta Provincial Horse Show, which will be held in Calgary April 5, 6, 7 and 8, promises to be the best ever held in the west. Already over five hundred entries have been made. When it is understood that the Winnipeg horse show only had four hundred and eight entries last year it can be understood Alberta is making good in the way of horses.

The steel work on the new traffic bridge crossing the river is now complete and the steel gang packed their outfit on Monday and left for Macleod where another bridge is under construction. The foreman in charge says everything about the bridge went up like a charm and there was not a hitch from start to finish. It therefore took less time to complete the work than was thought it would. The bridge is now used by the general public.

The annual meeting of the Presbyterian congregation of the Ridgewood field was held on Friday evening. The attendance was good and the interest shown in the work excellent when the report of the treasurer Mr. Jesse Bourne was read a small deficit was declared. The balance was promptly placed on the other side by those present and they resolved to keep it there. Heartly appreciation of the work of Mr. Goring was expressed and satisfaction at his re-appointment for another year. The Revs. Simpson of Penhold and Brown of Red Deer were present and addressed the meeting on the broader view of life and the larger field of service.

The members of the Women's Home missionary society of the Presbyterian Church entertained the young people of the congregation to a social gathering in the church last Friday evening. About seventy five young people responded to the invitation. After the knowledge of the geography of Alberta had been tested in an enjoyable game an interesting programme was given. Mrs. Bert, Marjorie Tait and Messrs. Fortune and Gaetz contributed the musical part, while Miss Agnes Cowan and Dr. Rowntree gave thoughtful addresses on Service and Patriotism. All voted the evening to have been profitably as well as enjoyably spent.

SHE LOOKED GOOD TO HIM.

A man once remarked to me, after I had fitted him with glasses to correct an astigmatic error of rather high degree, that his wife looked so much prettier to him that he felt he had not paid all the job was worth. The only thing that saved him from a double charge was that he had said his wife was his neighbor's.

Astigmatism is due to a malformation of the eye which makes things appear distorted and indistinct besides producing severe headache and other nervous disturbances. Its exact correction is a difficult proposition. Pardon me for asserting that I can do it and do it right.

Next Sunday will be Palm Sunday.

Hear Frederic Clarke, in Monte Cristo, to-night.

Help wanted to assist in dining room at English Cafe.

All kinds of musical goods can now be obtained at H. J. Snell's watchmaker and Jeweller.

Bananas, Fresh Lettuce, radishes and onions can now be had at W. Huskin's Ross avenue.

Real estate is beginning to move. Bawtinheimer & Sons sold several lots north of the river last week.

Lord's millinery opening yesterday was largely attended. The opening is in full swing to-day.

Hon. C. W. Cross and wife were on the south bound train Saturday night on their way to New York.

Don't buy records when you can change them for 10 cents, as they have over three hundred different ones to choose from, H. J. Snell, Jeweller.

T. A. Gaetz had a slight operation performed on one of his shoulders which has laid him up for the past couple of weeks. He is now about all right again.

Frank McEwan of Winton, Ontario, a thoroughly efficient and well known veterinary surgeon is expected to arrive in Red Deer to-day and will probably locate here. Mr. McEwan is an old friend of M. P. McCall.

For Easter Photos, the Studio Michener Block. No need to say anything about the Photos made in McDonald's Studio, work speaks for itself. Look at the show cases and come up and see the choice of cards and folders.

The Rev. Donald McKenzie will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church, Red Deer during the month of April. Mr. Brown has been invited to take part in a special evangelistic campaign in the Kootenays, B. C.

F. W. Galbraith, editor of the Advocate, spoke in the Medicine Hat constituency for Hon. Mr. Finlay during the late campaign. His powerful oratory must have touched the spot as Mr. Finlay was returned by a mighty majority.

Next Tuesday (April 8th) the Right Rev. the Bishop of Calgary will hold a "confirmation" in St. Luke's church. The service will begin at 8 p. m. On Good Friday at 8 p. m. Stainer's beautiful setting of "The Crucifixion" will be rendered in St. Luke's church by the choir and special orchestra.

A. Brown of Leicester, England arrived in town last week and intends opening out in town as a painter and decorator. Mr. Brown comes to Red Deer well recommended being an expert sign writer and decorator. He was a personal friend of Percy Kent in England and comes to Red Deer through his influence.

At the meeting of the Board of Directors of the Red Deer Government Creamery on Wednesday, the following tenders for cream hauling for the coming year were accepted: Geo. Quinton for Horn Hill; W. I. Sandercock, Springvale and Willowdale; J. Comer, Edwell; J. J. Day, Edwell, south; J. F. Partington, Hillsdown; Geo. Clark, Balmoral. Red Deer west route was left to the Director, Mr. Geo. Owens, to arrange. Various repairs, etc., were ordered to be taken in hand at the creamery to prepare for a considerable increase of business during the coming summer.

A. H. Trimble has purchased from Robt. Neas of Howick, Quebec, a carload of Ayrshires, consisting of ten bulls and the balance cows and heifers to freshen this spring. J. J. Richards has also placed an order with the same firm for an imported bull and a few good females, which will arrive in Mr. Trimble's car this week. Mr. Trimble will sell this carload by private sale.

A Half Holiday.

Editor Red Deer News.

Dear Sir—Will you kindly allow me a little space in your columns for the purpose of suggesting that the "weekly holiday" scheme be started in Red Deer.

I know that the idea will be opposed by a good many people, on what, to them, appear very good reasons, but which if analysed would be found to be purely selfish motives.

This question is causing a great deal of discussion in Calgary and other centres, where it is hard to get everyone into line, but in a town the size of Red Deer do not foresee any great difficulty in bringing the project to a successful issue.

Most of the objections would, no doubt, come from the storekeepers, who would claim they would lose business by closing for a half-day per week. This is not so, because the same amount of goods would have to be bought, and therefore the same amount of work and business would be done, and in addition the storekeepers would save the expense of lighting, heating, etc., which would be necessary were the stores kept open.

On the other hand, it would allow of every man having a little time in which to succeed in his garden, visit country friends, and recuperate his lagging mental and physical powers. It would also provide a day on which the various sporting organizations in town could have their matches without encroaching upon the time of the player's employers, and would at the same time provide amusement for large numbers of others who cannot or do not care to take part in the games themselves.

Some would take objections on the ground that it would be inconvenient to the farmers. On the other hand, I think that if the scheme was adopted and advertised in the local press the farmers would readily understand and fall in line with the rest.

I should like to state for the benefit of those who read this letter, that I have no "axe to grind" as the saying goes, because with me it is no work, no pay, and therefore I would naturally be one of the losers, if there were to be any losers at all.

Hoping this suggestion will bring forward further argument, I am, Sir, Yours faithfully,

A WORKER.

Red Deer, Alta., March 28, '06.

BIRTH.

At the Columbia hospital, Calgary, Alta., on Thursday, March 18th, 1906, to Mr. and Mrs. John A. McKinnon, a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

At the Methodist church parsonage, on March 18th, by Rev. C. H. Huettner, John A. Morice, of Banff, to Miss Violet M. Brownning of Caroline, Alta.

Tenders Wanted.

The undersigned desires to have 60 acres of breaking done, and asks for tenders for same up to May 1st. For further particulars apply to J. S. BRUEHLMAN. Four miles south west of Penhold. March 26, 1906.

Estray Steer.

Came to my place about Nov. 1st, a red, white-faced steer, white under belly and of white color, coming two years old. Indistinct brand, like SS, on left shoulder. Owner can have same by proving property and paying expenses.

CHRIS REAY.

Willowdale.

For Sale.

Two hand made full dress suits at less than half cost price, at TRAIN'S, the genteel furrier.

For Sale.

10 dozen Stereoscope Views and 2 Stereoscopes. \$10. A bargain. Would exchange for stock saddle. These are a snap and worth \$25. W. HUSKINS, Red Deer.

Notice.

Parties wishing to enter goods for W. Bannerman's sale, to be held in Red Deer in April, must have entries in and later than Friday, April 2nd. Entries may be left at News Office or with W. BANNERMAN, Auctioneer. March 26th, 1906.

Wanted.

Good general servant. Apply to Mrs. W. E. PAYNE, Mann street, Red Deer, Alta. March 28.

REMO

JOHN REID, Shoemaker, begs to thank the public of Red Deer for their patronage during the past two years, and wishes to intimate that he has removed his business to Coote's Boot Store, Ross Avenue, where he will carry on the REPAIR TRADE as formerly.

CHEAP MILK.

We want to thank our customers who have stayed with us so well during the winter months, when we have had to sell milk at 7 cts. a quart in order to make anything. Now, as we find we will have sufficient feed to carry us through until grass comes, we are ready to supply you at the rate of 5 cts. per quart, and will do our utmost to give you good satisfaction. We will be pleased to supply any new customers.

GIVE US A TRIAL.
WILSON & BROWN,
The Red Deer Dairy Men.
March 20th, 1906.

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(one night only.)

TO-NIGHT

Willis & Cosgrove present
Frederic Clarke & Company
in a great scene production of Alexandre Dumas' great play,

"Monte Cristo."

Elegant scenery.
Gorgeous scenery.
Great Mechanical and Electrical effects.
A powerful cast of players.

Mail orders will receive prompt attention.
Positively no one seated during action of play.
Curtain rises - - - - 8.30

PRICES: \$1.00, 75c., 50c.

Seats on sale at Gaetz-Cornett Drug Store.

If you want the best value in

Heavy Shoes

You should buy them from us.

We have the best line of Heavy Shoes in Central Alberta, and our prices are right. These goods are made of solid leather and every pair guaranteed. We have them in all weights and heights.

Our Strathcona Boot at \$7.00 and Men's Riding Boot at \$4.50 are two of the best snaps in Alberta.

Come and see these goods and be convinced.

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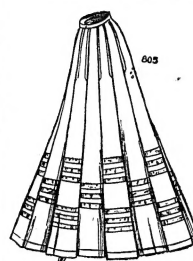
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WHITE WEAR SALE.

See Our Prices.

WE WANT EVERY LADY IN RED DEER TO SEE OUR DISPLAY OF WHITEWEAR. THESE GOODS HAVE BEEN CAREFULLY SELECTED FROM THE LARGEST AND MOST UP-TO-DATE MANUFACTURER OF LADIES' WHITEWEAR GOODS IN CANADA. WE WANT YOU TO COMPARE OUR PRICES AND OUR GOODS WITH THE LINES CARRIED BY OTHER MERCHANTS, AND BY THE DEPARTMENTAL STORES, AND YOU WILL AGREE WITH US THAT WE LEAD ALL OTHERS IN THIS LINE.

- Ladies' white Lawn Waists, nicely made each \$1.00
- Waists, embroidered fronts, long sleeves, six different styles 1.50
 - Lawn and Nainsook Waists, lace and embroidered fronts, long sleeves. Excellent values at 1.75
 - Embroidered Lawn Waists, long sleeves, trimmed with lace, pretty designs, at 2.00, 2.50 and 3.00 each
 - Corset Covers, nicely trimmed 75c. and 85c. each
 - Drawers 75c. and 85c. each
 - Pretty white Underskirts, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 1.75, 2.50 and 3.00 each
 - Night gowns 1.00, 1.25, 1.50 and 2.00 each
 - white Lawn Aprons, nicely made 50c., 65c. and 75c. each
 - D. & A. Corsets, in all the leading styles, from 75c. to 2.00
 - Children's white Dresses, long and short 90c. and 1.00 each
 - white Pinafores 50c. and 75c. each
 - white Bonnets and Hats, in silks and muslins, from 50c. to 2.00



Ladies' Up-to-date Skirts.

"Miladi" brand is a guarantee of style, workmanship and fit. Pretty Voile Skirts, trimmed with silk buttons and silk ribbons. The swiftest ever shown in Red Deer. 10.00, 12.50 and 15.00

Panama Cloth Skirts, in blacks, navys, reds and greens. All new goods. Trimmed with Buttons and Silk Ribbons, at 5.00, 6.50, 9.00, 10.00 and 12.50 each

Ladies' Lustre Skirts, in blacks and grey checks, nicely made, trimmed with buttons, Special value at 5.00
Cheaper lines of Skirts to please everyone.

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Up-to-date Short Coats for Ladies. Every Coat is this year's style, \$9.50, 10.00 and 12.50 each.

DRY GOODS SPECIALS.

10 doz. pairs of Ladies' All Wool Cashmere Hose, bought direct from the factory. A beautiful soft quality, worth 35c. or 40c. Our price, 4 pairs for 1.00.

Silk Taffeta Ribbon, about 4 ins. wide, in white, cream, red, brown, navy, pale blue, pink, black, &c. Regular 25c. for 15c. yd.

"Little Darling" Hose for children, any size. Per pair 25c.

Grocery Specials.

- Carnduff Patent Flour, made from Manitoba No. 1 Wheat, \$3.45.
- Choice Canned Corn - 9 Tins for \$1.00.
 - " " Tomatoes - 7 Tins for \$1.00.
 - Home Cured Bacon - per pound 17c.
 - Naval Oranges - 35c. per dozen.

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The surest way to have a crop is to properly plant the seed. The surest way to plant the seed is with one of our Disc or Shoe Drills. You can not afford to wait for your neighbor's drill this year, because this is a late spring, and everybody will have to hurry in order to get the full advantage of the growing season, which is none too long at the best. Then why trifle with nature? Buy your own Drill, and sow when you like. We will guarantee to sell you a Drill on such terms that it will pay for itself.

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Only a few Drills left, at special terms and prices. First come, first served.

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